



news release

Hydro One grants \$5,000 to the Township of McGarry, as part of its PowerPlay Program, in support of Ontario play facilities

March 9, 2009 - Hydro One has made a \$5,000 PowerPlay grant to the Township of McGarry to purchase new play equipment and upgrade the community's playground.

The PowerPlay Program benefits children's outdoor and active play facilities in Ontario communities served by Hydro One. The next application deadline is April 30, 2009.

"Hydro One employees believe it is important to give back to the communities in which we live and work," said Laura Formusa, President and CEO, Hydro One. "Through our PowerPlay Grants Program, we can make a meaningful difference to the lives of children living in the communities we serve by supporting the development of safe and healthy play facilities."

"The contribution from Hydro One will help the Township improve facilities which provide our children the opportunity to have fun and improve their fitness," said Reeve Clement Lapointe.

The PowerPlay program is open to municipalities and registered charities in Hydro One-served communities. The program offers grants up to \$25,000. This includes new facilities and renovation of existing facilities that are open and accessible to the community at large. Additional funding may be available where energy efficiency measures are incorporated into the project.

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